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SUBJECT: VISIT OF FINANCE MINISTER SIMONSEN

REF BRASILIA 1480

1. ARY PINTO, FINANCE MINISTER SIMONSEN'S
ADVISOR FOR INTERNATIONAL AFFAIRS, HAS INFORMED FINATT THAT IT
WILL BE EXTREMELY DIFFICULT FOR SIMONSEN TO BE IN WASHINGTON
ON MARCH 10 BUT HE WOULD BE VERY PLEASED TO COME ON MARCH 15.
PINTO EXPLAINED THAT WHEN SIMONSEN TALKED TO THE AMBASSADOR FROM
HIS SUMMER RESIDENCE AT TERESOPOLIS AND SUGGESTED THE WEEK OF
MARCH 7-11 (AS PER REFTEL) HE DID NOT HAVE HIS AGENDA WITH
HIM AND DID NOT REALIZE THAT IT WOULD BE DIFFICULT FOR HIM TO
TRAVEL THAT WEEK. PINTO INDICATED THAT MARCH 15 IS A FIRM DATE AND
WOULD APPRECIATE CONFIRMATION SOONEST.

2. IN ORDER TO PREPARE FOR THE MINISTER'S TRIP, PINTO AND DORNELLES
WOULD LIKE TO VISIT WASHINGTON ON MARCH 10 AND CALL ON
ASSISTANT SECRETARY DESIGNATE BERGSTEN AND OTHER TREASURY OFFICIALS.
SPECIFICALLY, THEY WISH TO EXPLORE THE POSSIBILITY OF WORKING
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OUT A PACKAGE WHICH COULD LEAD TO THE WAIVER OF COUNTERVAILING
DUTIES ON SCISSORS AND SHEARS AND COTTON YARN, SIMILAR TO
THE SCHEME ARRANGED DURING SECRETARY SIMON'S TRIP TO BRAZIL LAST
MAY. IF SUCH A SCHEME COULD BE AGREED UPON, THE PLAN WOULD BE
TO ANNOUNCE IT AT THE END OF SIMONSEN'S TRIP. THEY WOULD ALSO
WISH TO DISCUSS THE SHOE CASE AND, POSSIBLY, FINANCIAL ISSUES
DEALING WITH THE MULTILATERAL LENDING AGENCIES.

3. FINALLY, PINTO CONFIRMD THAT THE MINISTER WOULD BE
DEPARTING BRAZIL UNDER THE PRETEXT OF GOING TO NEW YORK TO SPEAK
TO THE AMERICAN -BRAZIL CHAMBER OF COMMERCE(SEE BRASILIA 0901) AND
THAT THE MEETING WITH SECRETARY BLUMENTHAL WOULD BE ANNOUNCED
ONLY AFTER HIS ARRIVAL IN THE US.CRIMMINS

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